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To: Mr. Benson

I am writing concerning my support of using low income tax credits for the homeless and the special needs populations.

Currently one of the programs that I administer is located in a housing complex that has tax credit. We do have some set aside for individuals/families that have a physical or mentally illness. We also have two that are for victims of domestic violence. This has helped many individuals sustain housing with the supports in place.

I am encouraging you to set aside at least thirty percent of the tax credits for new development of housing for the homeless.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me at 269-687-6552.

Sincerely,

Holly Pomranka
Program Administrator
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